

# SENATE BILL No. 198

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## DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

**Citations Affected:** IC 13-26-4-6.

**Synopsis:** Regional district trustees. Provides that, with respect to a regional water, sewage, or solid waste district in which a majority of ratepayers and property owners are not individuals, only an individual who is registered to vote at an address located in the district may be appointed as a trustee of the district.

**Effective:** July 1, 2014.

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January 9, 2014, read first time and referred to Committee on Utilities.

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PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning environmental law.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

- 1       SECTION 1. IC 13-26-4-6, AS AMENDED BY P.L.292-2013,  
2       SECTION 6, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
3       JULY 1, 2014]: Sec. 6. (a) This section does not apply to a district  
4       described in section 6.1 of this chapter.  
5       (b) **Except as provided in subsection (c)(5),** an appointed trustee  
6       does not have to be a resident of the district.  
7       (c) An appointed trustee must:  
8           (1) own real property within the district;  
9           (2) be a trustee appointed under section 4 or 5 of this chapter;  
10          (3) be an elected official who represents a political subdivision  
11          that has territory in the district; ~~or~~  
12          (4) be a ratepayer of the district; ~~or~~  
13          **(5) with respect to a district in which a majority of ratepayers**  
14          **and property owners are not individuals, be an individual who**  
15          **is registered to vote at an address that is located in the**  
16          **district.**

